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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT  
OF  
ELSIE LINCOLN BENEDICT

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I, ELSIE LINCOLN BENEDICT, being of sound and disposing mind and memory and not acting under duress, menace, fraud or undue influence, hereby make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament in the manner following, that is to say:

FIRST: I revoke any and all wills and codicils by me at any time heretofore made.

SECOND: I appoint my generous and faithful friend since 1920, DOROTHY HELEN HANSON, of San Francisco, California, Executrix of this Will, with bond, as she has requested, and direct that she receive for said services such compensation as is provided by law. In the event of the death, inability, failure or refusal of said DOROTHY HELEN HANSON to accept this appointment, I appoint my friend, RINALDO SCIARONI, JR., of San Francisco, California, as Executor of this Will, with bond, and direct that he receive for his services such compensation as is provided by law; or, in the event of his death, inability, failure or refusal to accept this appointment, I appoint WELLS FARGO BANK as Executor of this Will.

THIRD: I direct that my Executor make all arrangements for the disposal of my remains, as follows:

THE ANNEXED INSTRUMENT IS A  
CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL  
ON FILE IN MY OFFICE.  
ATTEST: CERTIFIED

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CLERK OF THE COURT  
Superior Court of California, County of San Francisco  
BY: *Ramon A. Alvarez*

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RAMON A. ALVAREZ

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My remains shall be cremated by whatever establishment my Executor may select, and deposited without services of any kind beside those of my late husband in the twin crypt, one-half of which bears my name, in Gardenia Corridor at Forest Lawn Mausoleum. The deed for this crypt is now in my safe deposit box, No. 281, Section 2, Wells Fargo Bank, Grant Avenue and Market Street, San Francisco, California.

I request that the bronze plaque now on the front of my share of this crypt have inscribed on it, as soon after my death as feasible, my birth year, 1885, plus the year of my demise.

I direct that the expenses of my funeral include transportation costs and expenses of my Executor to and from his or her residence to Glendale, California, because I desire my Executor to accompany my remains and be responsible for the execution of these directions.

FOURTH: I direct that my Executor pay all my just debts, expenses, taxes, assessments and all other costs required by law.

FIFTH: Should my friend DOROTHY HELEN HANSON survive me by thirty (30) days, I give, devise and bequeath to her all household furnishings which I may own at 575 Corbett Avenue, San Francisco, California, and my personal

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effects. Should said DOROTHY HELEN HANSON not survive me by thirty (30) days, I give, devise and bequeath all furnishings at 575 Corbett Avenue, San Francisco, California, which I may own, and my personal effects, equally to my grandchildren, MERRILYN BENEDICT ROGERS, LEEANNA RUTH BENEDICT and RALPH SCOTT BENEDICT.

SIXTH: Should my friend DOROTHY HELEN HANSON predecease me, I give, devise and bequeath the proceeds of any insurance policies upon the life of said DOROTHY HELEN HANSON which may be payable to me as beneficiary in equal shares to her aunt, MRS. JOHN A. JOHNSON, of 508 North Garden Street, Lake City, Minnesota, MRS. MAYE JOHNSON EGGENBERGER, of 508 North Garden Street, Lake City, Minnesota, and MRS. NINA JOHNSON MUNIAK, of Zumbro Falls, Minnesota.

SEVENTH: I give, devise and bequeath the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, as follows:

- (a) Five percent (5%) thereof to ANTHONY GORMAN BENEDICT, my adopted son, if he survives me, otherwise to his then surviving issue by right of representation;
- (b) Five percent (5%) thereof to SHIRLEY BURRIS BENEDICT, my daughter-in-law, if she survives me, otherwise to her then surviving issue by right of representation; and
- (c) Ninety percent (90%) thereof equally

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to my grandchildren, MERRILYN BENEDICT ROGERS,  
LEEANNA RUTH BENEDICT, and RALPH SCOTT BENEDICT,  
or to the survivor or survivors of them,  
provided, however, that if any of my said grandchildren  
predecease me, leaving issue surviving, the share of such  
grandchild shall be distributed to their issue by right  
of representation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I set my hand and seal this  
19<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1968.

Elsie Lincoln Benedict

ATTEST:

Frida Schmidt

Mary Conney

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The foregoing document, consisting of five (5) pages, including this page, was on this 18<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1968, signed, sealed, published and declared by the Testatrix, ELSIE LINCOLN BENEDICT, to be her Last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, the undersigned, who thereupon at her request and in her presence, and in the presence of each other, thereunto subscribed our names as the attesting witnesses thereto, the day and year last above written.

Frida Schmidt

Residing at San Francisco Calif.

Harry Connelly

Residing at San Francisco Calif.

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